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SUBJECT: CCD: UK QUESTIONS FOR INFORMAL MEETINGS ON PNES

REF: GENEVA 5251

1. US CCD DEL SHOULD MAKE FOLLOWING POINTS TO BRITISH  
DELOFFS IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRY REPORTED REFTEL:

-- OUR PREFERENCE WOULD BE FOR INFORMAL MEETINGS WITH EX-  
PERTS TO FOCUS ON ARMS CONTROL IMPLICATIONS OF PNES (I.E.,  
ISSUES COVERED IN US WORKING PAPER) RATHER THAN ON ISSUES  
THAT ARE ALREADY, AND PERHAPS MORE APPROPRIATELY, BEING  
COVERED IN OTHER FORUMS SUCH AS IAEA (E.G., ECONOMIC UTILITY,  
TECHNICAL FEASIBILITY, LEGAL ASPECTS, ELEMENTS OF INTER-  
NATIONAL PNE REGIME, OPERATION OF INTERNATIONAL PNE SERVICE,  
ETC.).

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-- WE RECOGNIZE, HOWEVER, THAT IT WOULD NOT BE POSSIBLE TO

DISSUADE DELEGATIONS FROM RAISING ISSUES OTHER THAN ARMS CONTROL IMPLICATIONS, AND WE WOULD THEREFORE EXPECT OUR EXPERTS TO FIELD QUESTIONS ON RELATIVELY BROAD RANGE OF PNE ISSUES.

-- RE MATTER OF BRITISH ASKING QUESTIONS THEMSELVES, WE WOULD HAVE NO PROBLEM IN GENERAL WITH BRITISH ADDRESSING QUESTIONS TO US EXPERTS, ESPECIALLY ON TOPICS COVERED IN US WORKING PAPER. HOWEVER, WE WOULD PREFER TO AVOID QUESTIONS THAT WOULD BE PARTICULARLY SENSITIVE IN LIGHT OF POSSIBLE IMPACT ON CURRENT TTB/PNE TALKS WITH SOVIETS. QUESTION SIX (ON MORATORIUM) COULD FALL IN THIS CATEGORY. MOREOVER, WHILE WE WOULD HAVE NO OBJECTION TO DISCUSSING ISSUE OF "DISTINGUISHABILITY" (QUESTION SEVEN), WHICH IS COVERED EXTENSIVELY IN US WORKING PAPER, WE WOULD PREFER THAT ANY QUESTION ON SUBJECT BE FORMULATED IN GENERAL MANNER AND NOT BE BASED ON KISSINGER STATEMENT OR OTHER SUCH REFERENCES TO THRESHOLD TREATY'S HANDLING OF PNES. INGERSOLL

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